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To Whom it May Concern,

Please accept this letter of support for the North Dakota Area Health Education Center, (AHEC).

AHEC is a valuable resource for the state of North Dakota and has been a vital partner to the Heartview Foundation. The partnership with AHEC has resulted in a deeper understanding of the opioid epidemic within rural communities of North Dakota. Our work with AHEC has helped to reduce stigma, increased engagement with medical providers and to educate the youth within the communities.

AHEC has provided valuable resources and support towards workforce development within the addiction profession. Their support of addiction interns has resulted in increased opportunity to recruit and retain an addiction workforce in rural North Dakota.

I strongly encourage the full support of AHEC as a vital component of serving rural and underserved areas of North Dakota.

Respectfully,


Kurt Snyder
Executive Director